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Dear Sir:

Applicants' representative, Robert A. Kalinsky, discussed proposed amendments to claim 1 and U.S. Patent No. 5,890,517 with Examiner Dunwoody on February 13, 2009. Agreement was reached that the proposed amendments to claim 1 would overcome the art of record.

Respectfully submitted, MERCHANT & GOULD P.C. P.O. Box 2903

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